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Twenty-Five Living Testimonials to the Value of Corps Cadetship

THE CADETS IN THE ABOVE GROUP, WHO ARE NOW IN THE OFFICERS' TRAINING COLLEGE AT TORONTO, WERE MEMBERS OF THE CORPS CADET BRIGADE IN THEIR RESPECTIVE HOME CORPS. SOME PARTICULARS OF THE BENEFITS THEY DERIVED FROM CORPS CADETSHIP ARE GIVEN ON PAGE THREE OF THIS ISSUE.

Corps Cadetship forms the best possible preparation for Officership in the Salvation Army, with its wide opportunities for usefulness in the service of God. All Salvationists of the age of fourteen and upwards are eligible
 :: :: :: for admission to the Brigade :: :: ::

MY PRAYER

Jesus, Master, make me willing
Now to follow Thee;
Yielding body, soul, and spirit,
Thine to be.

"Though it be through storm and trial,
Thou dost point my way,
Help me, Saviour, not to falter,
But obey."

Should my path be bright and joyous,
From great trouble free;
Make me careful, so my pleasures
Grieve not Thee.

When my days are dark and gloomy,
Everything seems wrong;—(Thee,
Help me, dear Lord, to praise
—With my song.
—Herbert Edmunds, Toronto.

THE WAY OF SALVATION

You realize you need Salvation.
Thank God for that. If you are
sins, and to obey His voice, you can
go to Him with the certainty that
your confession will meet with His
forgiveness; and that through faith
in the Atonement of Jesus Christ
you will be made conscious of God's
pardoning love. And the new
birth will begin a new life.

DEFINITE TEACHING

"That ye sin not." I am struck
with this whenever I read it, for
there is such a powerful and de-
finite statement in it. John does
not say, "I write unto you that ye
may get your sins forgiven."
"That your sin may be a little re-
duced," or "That you may have
more power over temptation to
sin." But it says straight out, "I
write unto you that ye sin not."
—The General.

THE SEARCHLIGHT

When thou prayest, enter
into thy closet, and when
thou hast shut the door,
pray to thy Father which is
in secret; and thy Father
which seeth in secret shall
reward thee openly.
Behold, the Lord's hand is
not shortened, that it cannot
save; neither is his ear heavy,
that it cannot hear.

It was lunch time, and two Sal-
vationist-miners were exchanging
thoughts while they ate
their food.

"Don't you think the words
with which Jesus finished His
prayer for His disciples, before
going down to Gethsemane, are
very encouraging?" queried one.
"I mean 'And I in them.' It is
well to be convinced, as a matter
of faith, that God lives in His Son,
but, so a practical thing, to be
shown in the life of the individ-
ual, it is even of greater value to
realize that Christ is in us."

"It is, and it just explains my
experience," answered the other.
"Before I was fully saved I tried
many times to do what was right,
and to avoid all I knew was
wrong, but by all I would, I soon
found myself under condemna-

USELESS SACRIFICE

THE idea of giving oneself to
God is associated with sacri-
fice. The unconverted man
considers it will be a sacrifice to
give up his pleasure-seeking,
worldly ambitions, selfish indul-
gences and companionships.
And when the call comes to
fuller service, how often people
hold back because they are afraid
they will have to give up so much
that is dear to them!

Hellish Mists

How many there are whom the
enemy of souls has so encom-
passed with his hellish mists that
their eyes can see no farther than
their immediate present; for they
live as if the circumstances of the
moment were the environment of
eternity!

It is only when the relationships
of time and eternity are properly
understood that we are able to
form right conclusions as to con-
duct and duty, and are in posses-
sion of the key to the mystery of
existence. A comprehension of
this is necessary to the setting
up of a standard whereby we may
test our course of life.

Viewing the position in the light
of the facts, so that time is limited,
and eternity measures up to a
boundless immensity of ever-and-
ever without end—does it not
strike you that to talk about mak-
ing a sacrifice in the giving up of
those things which please self
and gratify to pride, but which
are against the laws of God, is
altogether mistaken?

And while you hesitate to make
the so-called sacrifices which are
necessary before you can have
God's favour upon earth and en-
joy Heaven in eternity, let us look
at the other side of the question
and see if it cannot be said that
you are actually making greater
sacrifices by following your pre-
sent line of conduct.

The unconverted person is cer-
tainly sacrificing peace. If you
have not availed yourself of the
atonement of Christ you are living
in enmity with God. Your mind
is in a state of continual disas-
tration, because one of the funda-
mental principles which reason

assents to—underlying everything
like the pedal note of a great
organ, rolling and thundering all
the time, though the shriller fan-
fare of the trumpet keys of life
may sometimes almost hide it—is
that no human soul can hope to
prevail against an Almighty God,
and that unless you are reconciled
to Him the day of His wrath must
surely be faced, and in that hour
your eternal doom will be ably
fixed. Peace! There is no peace
... to the wicked! ... but
"great peace have they which love
Thy law."

You are sacrificing joy. This is
a plant which will only grow in the
soil of peace. Pleasure is not hap-
piness. Meritless pleasure is the
"crackling of thorns beneath the
pot," does not satisfy the soul.
No amount of pleasure can do
that: the mistake made is in trying
to get satisfaction from the out-
side. Happiness is the result of
satisfaction within. Satisfaction
cannot be the result of happiness,
because without it there cannot be
happiness.

Touching the question of obey-
ing the call of God to leave all
and work for Him; the parting
from and giving up the nearest
and dearest of our relatives for
so the short space of time we call life,
with the prospect of eternal re-
union, is a thousand times better
in every way we can look at it than
to allow them to become idols
which will separate us from God,
and also, mark this, from their
presence, if not their presence, in
eternity.

Sacrifices Himself

He who withholds himself,
sacrifices himself. And does it for
naught; indeed, it would be well
if the case were not worse than
this, but it is still true that "no
man liveth unto himself."

We applauded as a hero, and
rightly so, the man who gives his
life to save that of another; but
what do we say about the man
who is killed when engaged in
proceedings which have for their
basis the robbing, violating, in-
juring, or doing away with the
person of a fellow-creature? Do

we not think of such a man as
being infamous and despicable in
the extreme?

And is not this exactly the man
ner in which the minor or minor
saints look on their own work?
There is no neutral ground in the
War—"He that sacrificeth, let
him be with Me scattered."

Whether he deliberately
himself to do it or not, the man
who is not serving God is serving
the devil, and, perhaps, all the
more effectively so if he be dis-
guised as a servant of God who
disobedient and wicked at heart.
Everyone who reads these lines
is helping either to save or to
condemn souls.

Everlasting Repose

If you are unaved you are
sacrificing yourself, committing
spiritual suicide. You are
under circumstances which will
bring everlasting repose to you.
There can be no friendship in
hell—no man who reaches that
place of despair will be blessed
in the matter of his influence
on his neighbours of this life, and
each has any time to spare for
the lamentation of his own soul,
it will be occupied with bitter
proachings of those who help
him thitherwards.

And you, saved comrade, hesi-
tate not to give to God all that
He desires from you, even to the
abandonment of every earthly
prospect for living service in the
ranks of His Army upon earth.

Though the sacrifice may appear
great, you will, when the Eternal
Morning dawns, if not before, re-
cognize the one you will make by
refusing to obey to be far greater
and wholly fatal.

TWO FUNERALS AT CALGARY

Yes, in one day, one, a girl
sixteen, the other, twenty-one
years of age. Over my head as I sat
the organ, was the funeral song of
Queen Victoria, the good.

What lessons! The red coat
to old and young alike; to Queen
and humble subject.

What heritage for the fallen.
Who here live and to qualify
for today, its service, its
service.

For to-morrow, it is His right
ward.—H.

CHRIST IN MEN

the watch to throw out anything
that may only appear to enter
me), that I have the power to
fight them. I am still surrounded
by the very things which seemed
to drive me wrong, but I am not
overcome by them.

"It is like going into a great
working with a safety lamp, which
is fireproof itself, and also shows
the enemy's presence. Formerly
it was as if I walked in a
dark night and was involved in
darkness before I knew what had
happened. It is Christ in me, my
Guide, my Guard, my Strength."

"It reminds me of the words
we sang on Sunday," said the
other—
"I give my heart to Thee,
Thy dwelling place is in
me, I want Thee ever in my
Oh, live Thy life in me!"

What Are You Doing in the Campaign?

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THE VALUE OF CORPS CADETSHIP

Proving Beneficial to Young People—What It Implies—The Course of Study—How to
Obtain a Bonus—Some Opinions of Those Who Have Benefited

THAT the Corps Cadet system of training
in the Salvation Army is proving immen-
sely beneficial to our Young People was the
main impression of a "War Cry" represen-
tative who recently visited the Training College
for the purpose of interviewing some of the
Cadets who had been Corps Cadets.

What Corps Cadetship Is

It is pretty well known now what Corps Cadet-
ship implies, but for the benefit of any readers
who may have come in touch with the Army
only recently and are not therefore familiar with
the workings of the Organization or the phrase-
ology employed we will quote from the Regu-
lations. This is what they say:

"The Corps Cadet Brigade is a body of Junior
or Senior Soldiers who undertake a course of
study and Corps training with a view to self-
improvement and qualifying themselves for effi-
cient service in the Salvation Army. Whether
such service will eventually consist in Local
Officership or Field Officership will largely de-
pend upon the progress, circumstances, and
qualifications by age, health, and capacity of the
Corps Cadets themselves."

"Every member of it is expected to keep be-
fore him or her the glorious career of a sol-
dier. The activities of the Corps Cadet Bri-
gade should tend to develop the Corps Cadet
physically, mentally, and spiritually.
"All Young People over fourteen years of age
are eligible for Corps Cadetship, providing they
have been Junior or Senior Soldiers for at least
two months."

Systematic Bible Study

The course of study is designed to fit the Corps
Cadet more efficient soldier and citizen. It is
foremost in importance therefore are the Bible
lessons. The advantage of a systematic study of
the Scriptures is obvious and many who are now
Officers and Local Officers in our ranks will
readily testify to the fact that it was the lessons
they had to do as Corps Cadets which laid the
foundation for the Bible knowledge they now
possess.

The study of Army doctrines is another im-
portant part of the course. This is calculated to
strengthen the Corps Cadets' own faith and save
them from the attacks of those who would try
and upset them by strange beliefs, as well as
equip them for teaching others.

An extensive study of the Salvation Army is
made by Corps Cadets, and they learn about the
origin of the Army, of its wonderful history,
of its work in Foreign Fields, its finances and
trading operations, its literature, and the many
other phases of our work.

In order to help the Corps Cadets in the prac-
tical side of Corps work, they are expected to set
the Army periodically, attend the open-air and
indoor meetings, and they are encouraged, as far
as possible by speaking, singing, fishing and praying,
and take a prominent part in the Junior Work.
A Corps Cadet Guardian is appointed to look
after the interests of the Corps Cadets, to help
and encourage the Corps Cadets to cultivate
their gifts and overcome timidity in public work.

Can Pass to Higher Grade

The Corps Cadets keep a record of "War
Cries" and "Young Soldiers" sold, meetings at-
tended, lessons and work done, on their cards.
When they have passed through the three lower
grades, they then can sit for a written
Examination to the Higher Grade, providing
they have obtained six Course Certificates. These
examinations are held every half-year, in June
and December. If the Corps Cadet passes the
will commence the Higher Course of
Lessons.

The conditions upon which a bonus towards
obtaining an outfit for the Training College will
be granted depend on the use made of the
various examinations and satisfactory backing
as a Candidate. One of the tests is the ability
to give an address on a Salvation or Holiness

topic. The points noted in this use of argu-
ment and illustration: clearness of voice and de-
liverance; naturalness and acceptable manner (the
Salvationist's style); and sound doctrine and
Bible knowledge.

In the present Session of Cadets twenty-five
were Corps Cadets when they entered training,
and all of them are very emphatic in their declara-
tions that the course of training they underwent
at their Corps has proved of the utmost value
to them.

This is what some of them say: "The lessons
were certainly a great benefit to me, and when I
entered the Training College and found that I
had to pass a preliminary test I was very glad
that I possessed the knowledge I did."—Cadet
Ian Curry.

Helped in Answering Enquiries

"Corps Cadet training has drawn me closer to
God and helped me to give a reason for the faith
that is in me when questioned concerning Army
beliefs by outside people. I am thankful that I
was ever a Corps Cadet and would certainly ad-
vise all Young People who are eligible to join up
—Cadet Thomas."

"I felt in becoming a Corps Cadet that it was
step towards Officership, to which I have felt
called from childhood. The lessons helped me in
teaching my Company of children."—Cadet Sey-
mour.

"I am glad I took the Corps Cadet Course and
would advise all Young People to go in for it. The
lessons have wonderfully helped me, and if
I had to do them over again I would study them
more intensely. I found that the various studies
were of great assistance to me in open-air speak-
ing and in dealing with souls."—Cadet Elliott.

"I thought, in becoming a Corps Cadet, that
the lessons would be a help to me in preparation
for Officership to which I felt called soon after
my conversion. Not only did I gain a good
knowledge of the Bible and Army doctrine, but
I was also encouraged to take part in the various
meetings and thus became a more useful Salva-
tionist."—Cadet Davidson.

Whilst many of the Cadets say that they be-
came Corps Cadets with the distinct purpose of
giving better qualifying themselves for Officership,
some of them were undoubtedly influenced
in that direction through the lessons and helpful
associations of the Corps Cadet Brigade. One
girl, in fact, had recently made up her mind be-
fore becoming a Corps Cadet that she would not
be an Officer. In answer to the question on her
Card as to whether she was an Officer, she had written "No."
When she came to the Congress at Toronto last
year, however, her attention was attracted by a
number of cards placed around the Masses Hall,
which mentioned "Does God want you to
become a Candidate?"

Had Opened Her Eyes

Her Corps Cadet lessons had helped to quicken
her spiritual perceptions, as well as opening her
eyes to the great need of the world and the
Divine mission of the Army. Hereafter, how-
ever, she had refused to consider her own per-
sonal responsibility, stilling her convictions by
persuading herself that she was not called to
Officership. The Spirit of God used these cards
with their direct question to force the issue. She
felt that she had come to the dividing of the
ways, where she must either decide to do as she
knew God wanted her to or go back in her soul's
experience. All the way home she applied the
question to her own mind, but could not shake
off the conviction that this was God's call to her.
A few weeks later her application papers for
Candidate were signed.

Corps Cadets are not left long in doubt as to

God's will concerning them. Though they may
take up the course with Officership in view, yet
it seems in many cases as if some special revela-
tion is necessary before they finally decide to
apply for Candidateship papers. The memory of
this is no doubt helpful to their faith in times of
temptation. A few experiences of the Cadets
along this line will doubtless be of interest as
showing how God reveals Himself to various
characters.

Asked for Definite Message

One girl had felt for a long time that she
should be an Officer, but was not quite sure when
it was God's voice in her soul or her own
imaginings. One evening as she was reading her
Bible she asked God for a definite message that
would settle her doubts. Her attention was
drawn to the following verse, "Ye have not chosen
me but I have chosen you."

She felt quite sure that God was guiding her
through His word and from that moment her
doubts as to Officership were set at rest.
Another girl had an experience similar to that
of the same—she heard a voice in the night. It
was not a dream, it was rather a waking vision.
A white form seemed to be standing beside her
and she heard the words, "Must I go empty-
handed? I have heard you, and I will answer
the prayer which I have heard. The conviction
deepened in her heart each day that God
wanted her to devote her life to His service as
an Officer.

Promised God to Follow

"The call came to another Corps Cadet while
she was feeling discouraged. All the rest of the
day had gone to meeting but she had stayed at
home. She was particularly discouraged as she was
thinking rather gloomily about her spiritual ex-
perience and her work in the Army and wonder-
ing if she should give up the Corps Cadet lessons
she had heard a voice say, 'I have my life for you,
what hast thou given for Me?' A conviction
seized her that she was not doing so much good
as she ought to, and falling on her knees she
promised God that she would follow more
closely. But she was not quite convinced re-
garding Officership, so she listened, she prayed
herself as soon as possible. He expected opposi-
tion from his father, but as soon as he men-
tioned the matter received his consent and his bless-
ing."

It was through reading an appeal for Can-
didates in the "War Cry" that one Cadet Corps
Cadet was brought to a decision regarding Officership.
He had had a vague idea in his mind when he
first took up the course that he might be an
Officer some day, but since then his home cir-
cumstances had changed and he felt that it was
his duty to remain with his father. So impressed
was he, however, by the need for Candidates in
the Army that he promised God he would offer
himself as soon as possible. He expected opposi-
tion from his father, but as soon as he men-
tioned the matter received his consent and his bless-
ing."

Thus we see that Corps Cadetship is beneficial
in drawing the Corps Cadets closer to God, wid-
ening their vision and helping them to settle their
great question of what career they should follow.

Will Receive Valuable Instruction

It is to be hoped that increasing numbers of
our Young People will avail themselves of the
opportunities offered by Corps Cadetship, for
even if they do not become Officers they will re-
ceive valuable instruction in the things that are
essential to efficient Local Officership in the
Army. All Young People who desire to become
Candidates should apply as early as possible, as they
can be enrolled in the Brigade in time to start
the new course on January 1st, 1920, and thus
take the first step towards fitting themselves for
positions of responsibility in the Army. Appli-
cation should be made to the Officer of the Corps,

LATEST NEWS of SALVATION FIGHTING ON THE FIELD.

NORTH BAY HALL

Is Re-Opened After Renovation—
Prominent Citizens Express
Their Appreciation of the
Army's Work

Our Hall at North Bay, which has been under repair, was re-opened and reconsecrated to God and the Salvation Army on Sunday, Nov. 2nd, by Captain Blaney. In the evening Rev. Allen (Baptist) delivered a stirring address. The meetings all day were a great blessing.

The official re-opening took place on Tuesday, November 4th, when the Hall was filled. Captain Blaney had arranged for prominent men in the city to speak. Mr. Arthur Jackson, local president Canadian Patriotic Society, and a very warm friend of the Salvation Army, presided, and in his opening address spoke of the work of the Salvation Army in North Bay. "We do not need to go to other towns," he said, "I can see the good work the Army is doing right in our own town, and we appreciate it. He admired a man who could stand on the street corner and let people know that he had been to Jesus. This required great courage and often meant a hard fight."

The Citizens Band, composed mostly of returned men, very kindly came along and rendered several fine selections which added greatly to the programme. Captain Blaney read Salvation greetings from Adjutant Poole, Commandant Campbell and Ensigns Rhodes, who were present here. Also a telegram from Captain Stella Pasmore, who left our Corps for the Training College, and is now stationed at the Training College. We also had a message from our Commissioner, who wished our Corps every success.

Mr. J. W. Richardson, President of the Board of Trade, Rev. Allen, and Ex-Mayor Rankin spoke during the service. They were delighted with the improvements and appreciated the work of the Salvation Army in North Bay.

TABER, ALTA.

Good Meetings Led by Ensign and
Mrs. Dawson—Three Saved

In connection with the operations at Taber, Ensign and Mrs. Dawson, assisted by Brother John Chamberlain and Sister Kim, conducted most successful series of meetings, both open-air and indoor on Saturday and Sunday, October 18 and 19.

The meetings on Sunday afternoon and night were held in the 2nd Avenue Hall, kindly loaned for the meetings. In the open-air, Brother Chamberlain and other comrades attracted many people to listen to the Salvation message.

In the night meeting twenty-eight people were present. Brother Sturim and his daughter and two sons motored in twelve miles from the farm to attend the meetings. At the close God gave us the victory in the Salvation of three Young People.

Adjutant and Mrs. Johnston's faith is strong for the progressive work of the army, in Taber—H. D.

OSHAWA, ONT.

Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Otway Lead
Week-End Meetings—M. P. P.
Presides at Afternoon
Gathering

The visit of Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Otway for the week-end, (Nov. 2nd and 3rd), will long be remembered. On Saturday night a rousing open air meeting was held followed by a real old-time Free and Easy. The Col-



Harvest Festival Champions of Halifax I.

Songster Leader Dillman, whose team raised \$75; Sister Mrs. White, \$35; Sister Mrs. Burgess, \$25.

onel introduced several new Choruses which were sung many times during the week-end. Sunday morning was a season of blessing to all. In the afternoon the Colonel lectured on the "Jubilee of the Salvation Army." Mr. W. E. N. Sinclair, M.P.P., presided and spoke in glowing terms of the Army's work.

At night the Citadel was filled with an attentive audience. Both Mrs. Otway and the Colonel addressed the gathering. The ladies' dresses were listened to with marked interest. Two souls came forward.

Special mention should be made of the Board of Trade, Rev. Allen, and Ex-Mayor Rankin spoke during the service. They were delighted with the improvements and appreciated the work of the Salvation Army in North Bay.

ST. CATHARINES, ONT.

Lieut.-Colonel Hargrave Conducts
Sunday Meetings

On Sunday, November 9th, we had with us Lieut.-Colonel Hargrave. The Holiness meeting was a time of blessing and inspiration, and at the close two souls knelt at the altar.

In the afternoon the Sons of England paraded to the Citadel headed by the Citadel Band. A special programme was rendered by the Band and Songsters. Colonel Hargrave gave an address to the congregation of over three hundred people.

NEW GLASGOW, N. S.

On Wednesday, November 5th, we had with us the Field Secretary, Brigadier Morris. The service was a blessing to all. The words of the Brigadier inspired all to greater things.

Ensign and Mrs. Ashby are working hard for the Salvation of souls.—H. D., Corps Correspondent.

VANCOUVER, V.

Five Soldiers Enrolled by Farewell-
ing Officer—Captain and Mrs.
Shaw are Welcomed to
the Corps

We have recently said goodbye to Captain and Mrs. Black, who have gone to New York. As the Captain's farewell meeting, he enrolled five Young People as Soldiers. He has been a great help and blessing.

ST. JOHN ITEMS

Good Reports of Soul-Saving
Each City Corps is Rejoicing
Reconciliation With One
He Has Won

The fire is still burning and the City Corps are rejoicing. The Corps is all ablaze and the fire is still burning. The Corps is all ablaze and the fire is still burning. The Corps is all ablaze and the fire is still burning.

No. 1. Corps is in the midst of a revival. Seven held up their hands and three yielded to the Spirit. The Corps is all ablaze and the fire is still burning. The Corps is all ablaze and the fire is still burning.

Another man sought pardon for his Holiness meeting and turned out at night's meeting full of fire and the delight of the Corps. The Corps is all ablaze and the fire is still burning. The Corps is all ablaze and the fire is still burning.

RED DEER
A Week-End Victory—
Seek Salvation

At a recent Saturday night meeting one soul came home to God, man who had been attending meetings for some time or less weeks, and for whom some of the comrades had been extremely praying.

On Sunday night Lieutenant Ramsdale gave a most helpful talk. Almost immediately after the commencement of the prayer meeting a young girl sought God at the Mercy Seat and a few minutes later she was followed by a woman. These two souls had gained the victory, a wonderful time of thanksgiving and praise was entered into.

HAMILTON IL
Six Young People Knelt at the
Mercy Seat

We have had another victorious week-end. The meetings were led by Captain and Mrs. Johnson, and we finished with six young people at the Mercy Seat. The seniors have handed over to the Young People the Monday night meeting and our first meeting was a great success.

Under the Leadership of our Young People's Sergeant, Sister Little Danby, we are looking forward to good things.

WINNIPEG VI.
We are having good times at Weston. Brother McDonald gave a lecture on Thursday, October 30th, on his experiences in France.

On Sunday, November 2, we had a good day. At the night meeting three backsliders returned to the fold.

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THE FIELD SECRETARY

Reports that the Salvation War is
Going Well in the East—Reviv-
als in Progress—Many Strik-
ing Cases of Conversion

On his return to Toronto from Cape Breton, whither he had gone to install Adjutant Burton as the Divisional Officer for that part of the country, a "War Cry" representative interviewed Brigadier Morris, the Field Secretary, regarding his visits to the various Corps.

"Everywhere I went," said the Brigadier, "the people expressed deep faith in having their own Divisional Officer and seemed to be of the opinion that this move would benefit the Army's work. I visited all the Corps in Cape Breton with the exception of Inverness and observed a great improvement to what I had seen last year."

Soldiers Built Hall

"At New Waterford the Soldiers have built a Hall and expect to have it paid for outright before long. To aid them in the building operations they asked some of the local business men to give a hand, which they willingly did. Since the building has been completed some of these men, I heard, have attended the meetings and got right with God."

"Nowwithstanding the fact that the Captain has been unable, through illness, to return from Halifax, and the Lieutenant met with an accident, splendid arrangements were made by the Locals and Soldiers for the Divisional Officer's well-soon visit. Nearly all the leading people in the town were present at the meeting, including the Mayor and Councilors."

"I found, to my delight, that the Army Corps has taken a new lease of life. There is a real good spirit amongst the Soldiers and we had a grand meeting with six soldiers at the Mercy Seat. The Hall has been recently painted inside."

North Sydney is also doing well and I heard has been recently rendered good service at the Installation meeting.

"Adjutant and Mrs. Grandie have recently taken charge of Whitney Pier and God is blessing their labors. At Sydney Mines there is a real revival of interest and soul-saving. At other Corps good progress is being made."

"The new Hospital at Sydney is going to be a fine Institution, and there is much sympathy for the Army's work amongst the townspeople."

Many Getting Saved

"Leaving Cape Breton I went to New Glasgow. Quite a revival is taking place here and many are getting saved. Ensign Ashby has recently taken charge and he has something on at the Hall every night with good crowds attending. Prayer meetings are also held during the day and there seems to be a general air."

"At New Glasgow there is also a good work in progress under Adjutant and Mrs. White. There are many young converts who are all aglow with Salvation. There are some remarkable conversions here, take place."

"I found much Salvation enthusiasm too, at Alton. The public seem greatly interested in the Salvation Army. A great drunkard got well the week before my visit and gave a good testimony in the Sunday meetings."

"Yes, on the whole, the Salvation War in the East is going ahead well and we have much reason to thank God."

OFFICERS' WEDDINGS

Adjutant Sproule and Ensign Frieda Hofflin United in Marriage by
Lieut.-Colonel Rawling at London, and Captain John Bond and
Isabel Forbes by Lieut.-Colonel Hargrave at Hamilton

THE capacity of the Woodstock (Ont.) Citadel was taxed almost to its utmost at a recent interesting occasion, the marriage of the Commanding Officer, Adjutant William J. Sproule, to Ensign Frieda Hofflin.



Adjutant and Mrs. Sproule

Hofflin, of London, (Ont.), on Tuesday evening, October 28th. The Citadel was prettily decorated with flags, bunting and plants, while the altar, platform and choir, were adorned with the Army's colors.

Interesting Ceremonies

The ceremony commenced with the united singing of "Come, let Us Join Our Churching Songs," the united hymns of Woodstock and Hamilton. This was followed by short prayers by Brother George and Ensign Woodson of London. The Rev. J. W. C. of the interesting services of the prospective bride and bridegroom.

Adjutant Sproule gave a welcome to the guests at the Army Woodstock and the guests at which he was seated. Ensign Hofflin, who was stationed at Woodstock, was transferred to London in 1918 and has since served with the Corps and Social work in the city.

Following the reading of the articles of marriage, Lieut.-Colonel Rawling performed the wedding ceremony, the bride being assisted by Sister Eva Cooke, and the groom by Bandman Gordon Field, who both afterwards spoke briefly.

Gave Testimony

Mrs. Adjutant Sproule sang a song and testified, saying how glad she was because she was saved while young, because God had helped her in different countries and she was taking Him into her new life.

LIVERPOOL, N. S.

Visit of Candidates Secretary—Attendances Are on the Upgrade

The Harvest Festival Target of \$175 was reached. We recently had a visit from Lieut.-Colonel Marchen, the Candidates Secretary. The Col- onel was very warmly received by the Soldiers and friends and his meeting was very successful. The day was held October 12, and was a success. The Captain spoke on "Train" and in the

Adjutant Sproule also testified to the fact that he was saved 21 years ago and his decision at that time was that his whole life should be spent in God's service. He felt that in taking this step he was not only bringing upon himself the happiness and privileges of home, but it would enable him to work better for the Lord.

Our heartiest and best wishes are with our Officers and we trust that the efforts put forth on behalf of our Corps will be crowned with success.—A. E. R., Corps Correspondent.

The wedding of Captain Isabel Forbes and Captain John H. Bond was conducted at the Hamilton I. Citadel on Wednesday, October 23, by Lieutenant-Colonel R. Hargrave. Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Otway and Major and Mrs. McAnnam were also present. The Hamilton I. Band played at the wedding party entered the Hall. The bride was supported by Captain Mabel Conway, and the groom by Bandman Percy Bond. Colonel Hargrave read a Scripture portion and conducted the ceremony, after which Treasurer Mar-



Captain and Mrs. Bond

tion (brother-in-law of the bride) spoke a few words of welcome to the guests on behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Forbes and family. Young Percy, Sergeant Otway, spoke on behalf of the Hamilton I. Young People's Corps of which both Captain and Mrs. Bond had been active workers before entering the Field.

Tribute to Bride

Captain Mabel Conway, with whom the bride had been stationed, spoke at the devotion and the wedding of Mrs. Captain Bond.

Bandman Percy Bond spoke on behalf of his family and welcomed the bride and the groom.

Colonel Otway spoke very highly of Mrs. Bond and said he was sorry to lose her from his Division. He said that the bride and groom were a blessing on the newly married couple and brought a very happy ceremony to a close. We all wish the bride and groom every success at Bracebridge—M.

On Sunday, November 9th, splendid meetings were held in the Citadel. The services were very enjoyable on the up-grade. A splendid spirit prevailed. Brother Austin Plattenburg was commissioned as Corps Secretary.

Captain Hielching and Lieutenant Richardson are in command. The Army is doing well.

TORONTO DIVISION NOTES

Good Work Being Done at Parry Sound Jail—Soul-Saving Victories at Many Corps—New Soldiers Enrolled

Captain and Mrs. Brewer (Parry Sound) report a splendid week-end. In the jail where a weekly meeting is conducted, two souls volunteered for Salvation, and got wonderfully saved. The Officers are privileged at Parry Sound to have entrance at all times to the jail for personal interviews. In the meetings also the prisoners are granted permission to go to the Penitentiary to seek Salvation. A number of good cases of conversion have been reported.

On Sunday night a splendid congregation was present and waves of spiritual glory and power came over the meeting. Three souls sought Salvation and claimed deliverance.

Captain and Mrs. Kerr, Fenelon Falls, are pushing things along and God is blessing their labors.

On Sunday last the Hall was nearly full, and the souls sought Salvation. An effort to secure additional young people and children resulted in ten newcomers.

Lieut.-Colonel Otway visited Orangeville on Wednesday, November 12. The Mayor, Councillor and townspeople were present. A splendid crowd gathered. Lieutenant Ding is pushing ahead. One new Soldier has been enrolled and three new adults have been secured.

In the absence of Captain Chace, Port Huronville Corps has been directed by Captain Lang, who is able to represent. Lieut.-Colonel Otway visited the Corps on a recent Monday and conducted an inspiring and helpful new meeting. Three young people have recently signed up for Soldiership.

Captain Gagne and Lieutenant Leach, Brampton, are able to report splendid victories. A recent conversion is taking part in the Citadel and the new Soldiers are ready for enrollment at the Divisional Commander's next visit.

CANDIDATES' SECRETARY

Visits the Corps in Pictou County—
Crowded Meetings and Seekers
at the Cross

The visit of Lieut.-Colonel Morehen to Pictou County, N.S., was looked forward to with great excitement. The first stop was at Westville, where Captain Howe and Lieutenant Britter are in charge. A good crowd gathered and many souls sought and won the Lord.

At New Glasgow he spent the week-end. Ensign and Mrs. Ashby are here. All the new recruits are doing well and the Colonel did excellent in his addresses. Two souls, one for Salvation and another for Sanctification are reported at this place.

The afternoon lecture, "Wonderful Triumphs of Grace I have met," by Ensign and Mrs. Ashby, was very successful. The Hon. R. M. McGregor, M. P., was chairman, and spoke very warmly of the work of the Salvation Army.

On Monday the Colonel visited Pictou where a united meeting of the County Officers was held. At the meeting the officers and friends rejoiced in seeing one soul at the altar who gave up pipe and cigarettes. Captain Hamilton is in charge here.

The last meeting was at Stellarton where Captain Daisy Shearer, and a Cader are holding a meeting, and another good crowd gathered.

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EDITORIAL NOTES

Corps Cadets

There is one thing respecting the progress of the Salvation Army in these Territories which, above others, is hopeful in character, it is the news we are continually receiving of the addition of names to the Roll of the Corps Cadet Brigade.

There can be nothing of greater importance to any organization, if it is to increase in numbers, than that it should, that its young blood should be taken hold of at an early stage and trained for service in its ranks.

The objects and scope of the Brigade will be best explained by the following extract from the regulations governing it:

"The Corps Cadet Brigade is a body of Junior or Senior Soldiers, who undertake a course of study and Corp training with a view to self-improvement and more efficient service in the Salvation Army. Whether such cadets will eventually consist in Local Officers or in the Field, will depend upon the progress, circumstances and qualifications of the individual, and the capacity of the Corps Cadet themselves."

"Every member of it is expected to have a high standard of character and a career of a self-winner. The activities of the Corps Cadet are to be directed towards the development of the Corps Cadet physically, mentally and spiritually. All Young People over fourteen years of age, who are desirous of a Cadetship, providing they have been Junior or Senior Soldiers for at least six months."

Equal in importance with the enrolment of young Salvationists as Corps Cadets, however, is the proper discharge, by all concerned, of their duties in regard to their training, whether in connection with the studying of God's Word, the doctrines and principles of the Army, its regulations, etc., etc., or the practical side of the work for which they are being prepared.

Equal occasions when the whole of a Sunday night's meeting has been handed over to the Corps Cadets, with gratifying results. Such an arrangement, while inspiring the Cadets to put forth their best efforts and preparing them for Officership, always interests and is useful and commendable all round.

Dealing With Converts

ONE of the principles upon which the Salvation Army has been built is that of the immediate entrance, in the service of God, of those who seek Salvation.

The first few days, may the first few hours, in the experience of a newly converted man or woman, will frequently have such an influence upon them as to determine the course of the remainder of their lives. We do not at the moment speak of them as being in a state of probation, and an instant pushing up to the taking of an out-and-out stand for Christ, will often lead to a career unclouded by unbelief and spiritual health, while the soul which is allowed to, as it were, slip into the Kingdom, and to go off and switch around before being called upon to take an active part in the Salvation war, will probably be a drone and a weakling to the end of the chapter.

The question of the future should always be definitely dealt with while the seeker is at the Mercy Seat. In many instances it can be found that it is the fact that people are already convinced God's plan for them is that they should become Salvationists which has kept them back from surrender. When this is found to be the case, there should be no hesitation in telling them plainly that unless they are prepared to do this of God in this, as in all other things, there is no hope for them. In any event they should be pushed up to at once adopt a course of action which will place them as being definitely and distinctly on the side of Christ.

The Doctrine of Sanctification

THE importance of the possession of clear and definite ideas upon the subject of the sanctification of the soul by the indwelling of God the Holy Ghost, is of far greater moment to the Christian community at large than is commonly acknowledged.

Not only does the absence of such hinder the individual from entering upon the spiritual Canaan and enjoying the communion of the Holy Spirit, but it is the birthright of every one who has become a joint-heir with Christ, but cripples and confines all his endeavours to enter into the Kingdom of God upon earth to the feeble and futile efforts of mere humanity, whereas, if possessed and inspired by the Holy Spirit, the Christian, through the world as a flame of fire, spreading the blaze everywhere.

The subject, generally speaking, is one of the most neglected in the pulpit, and as comparatively few people seriously study religious literature, either of the present day or earlier years, the knowledge of the doctrine of the Bible itself, the first that thousands hear about Full Salvation, or the Blessing of a Clean Heart is when they enter an Army-Holiness meeting. The consequence is that very often it is imagined the doctrine is new, and has been formulated by the leaders of the Corps, whereas in all ages have held precisely the same views, though perhaps expressed in slightly different phraseology as the times have changed. This is the reason why so by no means extraordinary, seeing the teaching of the Bible upon the matter is everywhere so plain and unequivocal.

An Example

TAKEING one example from comparatively modern times: John Wesley, the founder of Methodism, in a sermon upon "Christian Perfection," said:

"He therefore, who liveth in true believers, hath purified their hearts by faith, inasmuch that every one that hath Christ in Him, the hope of glory, 'purifieth himself, even as he is pure.'"

"True," say some, "we shall be saved from our sins, but not till we are sanctified; and this is how we are to reconcile this with the express words of St. John: 'Herein is our love made perfect, that we may never be condemned by the day of judgment; because he is so as we are in this world.' The Apostle here, beyond all contradiction, speaks of himself and others living in Christ, in a state of whom he had seen them, and an instant pushing up to the taking of an out-and-out stand for Christ, will often lead to a career unclouded by unbelief and spiritual health, while the soul which is allowed to, as it were, slip into the Kingdom, and to go off and switch around before being called upon to take an active part in the Salvation war, will probably be a drone and a weakling to the end of the chapter.

Central Holiness Meetings

Conducted by

COMMISSIONER RICHARDS

At Riverdale (Toronto) and Hamilton—Lieut.-Colonel Bell leads on at the Toronto Temple

THAT those who make a profession of Holiness owe it to God and their fellow men to live in accordance with that profession was the main theme of the Commission's first stirring address at the Holiness meeting held by him at Riverdale on Thursday, November 13. A good illustration of the theory of religion, he pointed out, but fell down when it comes to everyday practice. What is wanted in the world is samples of the genuine article as regards holiness.

Should Walk with God

If we make a profession of holiness, he continued, we ought to walk with God and do His will. This is quite possible for God has promised to supply us with sufficient strength, power and knowledge if we will accept of His part. What can we do? We cannot make ourselves holy, that is God's work, but our part is to put ourselves into the altar, to submit our wills to His.

The danger of having too high an estimate of holiness was pointed out. It tends to discourage people from seeking it. They think that God never expects of them. To be like the Pharisees and the Scribes is to be (in)human, Omnipresent, and Omnipotent. Such an idea is foolish on the face of it. We cannot put the whole ocean into a cup, but we can take a full tumbler of it and make the same constituent parts as that in the great ocean. So it is with regard to God's love and power, we can

have as much of it as we contain and no more. The perfection God expects of us is a perfect heart devotion to Him. Jesus walked in unbroken love to His Father and in the fact that He is an example in this if we would follow in the favour of God. This strong perception of truth gripped the audience, as evidenced by their intense attention given and the many Amen's and Hallelujahs heard as the Commissioner made such striking points. Two came forward and took the blessing of a clean heart.

At the opening of the meeting the Commissioner's Map prayer that God would bless the message to many hearts. Brigadier Morris, Field Secretary read a Scripture portion. The Staff Quartette rendered a selection. Knowledge of the Riverdale Songsters' song.

We Can Be Holy

A ringing testimony was given by Lieut.-Colonel Miller: "The thing worth while in life is to have the smile and favour of God to the soul. The only way to get it is by living a pure life. It is His will that we should be holy. He not only commands this, but has made every provision to enable us to keep it. He has sent His Holy Spirit to dwell in our hearts and in rendering every possible assistance. A message of sympathy with the bereaved and suffering was sent by Mrs. General Booth.

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CANADA WEST

Commissioner and Mrs. Eadie and daughter arrived in Winnipeg on Friday, Nov. 28. The Commissioner and a large number of Staff and Field Officers of the Army, met them at the train and in the Welcome Meetings, as far as Winnipeg is concerned, was a thing of the past, but an event to be remembered. We bespeak for the Commissioner and Mrs. Eadie a right royal welcome throughout the West as soon as they are in the city.

Commissioner and Mrs. Pearce and two children, en route for Pekin, China, stopped at the Hub and saw a little of the city on their way to the West and Western life.

Lieut.-Colonel Charles Taylor will visit Vancouver, Victoria, Edmonton, and Calgary on an audit inspection tour. He will also attend a number of the Commissioner's Welcome Meetings. The Colonel is becoming quite a Westerner.

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PARAGRAPHETTES

PERSONAL AND NEWSY

INTERNATIONAL

The General recently conducted a happy and memorable day's Council for Young People at Clapton. The Lecture Hall was crowded with ardent and promising young warriors, and some glorious scenes of surrender and consecration were witnessed. There were 255 soldiers, and 73 officers of the Salvation Army, and 1000 members of the Council. A series of Councils with the Field Officers of Scotland were also conducted by the General at Glasgow. An international touch was added to the Council by the presence of a number of several officers from other lands, including Commissioner and Mrs. Sowden, Colville and Mrs. Palmer, and comrades from India, Switzerland, Italy, and Canada.

The General sandwiched in many interviews between the meetings, and also addressed a crowd of women who had gathered around the door of the Hall to cheer him as he arrived. It was touching to witness their earnest attention and the tears on many of their faces.

At the request of the headmaster of Sir John Maxwell's School, the General appeared to the scholars, who were drawn up in the playground for the purpose.

Mrs. General Booth, the British Commissioner, and Commissioner Higgins, the Chief of Staff, recently met two hundred Leaders of Life, and gave them Guard Troops at Clapton and gave most helpful and illuminating addresses.

There has been some talk of an International Headquarters that Mrs. Commissioner Higgins and Mrs. Lieut.-Colonel Sullivan have arrived safely in Japan. A tragic mining disaster recently took place at St. John in Cornwall, and many lives were lost. The General was at the scene of the disaster early, and together with the ministers of the town, endeavoured to render every possible assistance. A message of sympathy with the bereaved and suffering was sent by Mrs. General Booth.

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WELCOME TO THE WEST

Commissioner and Mrs. Eadie

GIVEN ENTHUSIASTIC AND HEARTY RECEPTION AT WINNIPEG—PREMIER PRESIDES AT PUBLIC WELCOME—PLEDGES FOR REDOUBLED EFFORTS

(BY WIRE)

Winnipeg, November 18th.

It was anticipated that Commissioner and Mrs. Eadie would be given a warm welcome on their arrival in Canada West, but the reception accorded them in Winnipeg has exceeded in enthusiasm and heartiness the most sanguine expectations. On Saturday evening the Commissioner met his chief Officers and speedily got right into their hearts; there was established right away a bond of unity, and pledges were given that augur well for the future.

Sunday's meetings were characterized by a continuation, in the wider circle they touched, of the good feeling and promising spirit of the first gathering, and the campaign was crowned by twelve speakers coming to the Mercy Seat at night.

The afternoon public welcome, which took place in Pantages Theatre, was presided over by the Premier of Manitoba, the Hon. T. C. Norris. The audience was typical of Winnipeg, including, as it did, representatives of public bodies, ministers of various denominations, government officials, and other leading citizens.

The Commissioner and Mrs. Eadie continued their campaign at the Territorial Centre on Monday and to-day (Tuesday), meeting Officers and Soldiers in Council. All are grateful to the General for again sending Leaders of such spirit and capacity, under whom the "Move On" policy of Canada West will be continued, and all unite in pledging redoubled efforts for the glory of God and the Salvation of souls.—William Turner, Colonel.

Victoria Young People's Day

Conducted by Major Sims, the Territorial Young People's Secretary
Twenty-eight Young Men and Women Give Them-selves to God in Definite Manner

THE Young People of Victoria looked forward to the Councils which were held November 1 to 4 with great expectation. There was some disappointment over the fact that Colonel Turner was unable to arrive with the Commissioner in Winnipeg.

Major Sims jumped into the breach, however, and assisted by Major Pearce, Commandants, Alen Cummings, Staff Captain Haskirk and Adjutant Clark, conducted a very helpful and profitable series of meetings.

Welcome Meeting

On Saturday night a welcome meeting was held. Staff Captain Haskirk rendered "I've saved, saved is my story" very acceptably.

Professor Hamilton rendered valuable service at the piano, giving several selections.

Adjutant Clark told how God met him when only a young boy and how He kept him through life.

Major Sims gave a beautiful Bible reading and made very effective application of the same in his original manner.

Songster Leader Sister Irwin solved.

Commandant Allen and Commandant Cummings gave testimony to the glory of God for having saved them when only a young boy.

Young People's Sergeant-Major Eccles petitioned God for His blessing on the Congress and Commandant Cummings prayed for the Corps and absent ones.

A Bible responsive exercise followed the services.

Major Sims gave a heart talk on a Bible character.

During the afternoon session helpful papers were read by various contributors.

Major Sims followed up his talk of the morning bringing things nearer to the focus that was to be reached at the night Session. His talk showed a lot of thought and was fully appreciated by all present.

At night the presence of God was felt in a marked manner.

Several Officers gave talks on timely topics and the Major gave a stirring address.

Twenty-eight Surrenders

Four hours after we started the twenty-eight young men and women had given themselves to God in a very definite manner. This filled all our hearts with much joy.

The Major met thirty Young People's Workers on Monday afternoon when he gave them a final talk. At this Session Major Cummings gave an interesting address.

At night a very young People's meeting was conducted by Major Sims.

Some Important Appointments

NEW TERRITORIAL COMMANDERS FOR SCOTLAND AND SOUTH AFRICA

The General has promoted Acting-Commissioner Hogard to the full rank of Commissioner and appointed him to be Territorial Commander for South Africa (says the "British War Cry").

Commissioner and Mrs. Hogard, during their two years in Scotland, have endeared themselves to many hearts. They have shown a deep impression by their manifest love for souls, and their persistent seeking for them, and in their own case, must will be happy to renew acquaintance with Missionary operations. It will be fresh in the minds of readers of "The War Cry" that they pioneered the Army's prosperous work in Korea, where after eight years' faithful labours they had the joy of leaving behind them a fine force of Salvationists won from darkness and superstition.

Commissioner and Mrs. Hogard will farewell from Scotland at the end of November and will be proceeding immediately to Cape Town, where they will find loyal and devoted helpers in the final work of that great country.

Further, the General has appointed Commissioner Hogard to the Territorial Command for Scotland, an appointment which we feel sure will be hailed with genuine satisfaction. Both the Commissioner and his wife are widely known and esteemed by comrades of all ranks in the United Kingdom.

The Commissioner comes to his new and responsible post with the added experience of service on the Army's Missionary Field. Salvationists and friends in Africa are aware of the splendid beginnings of our operations in North China, and we would not that much of the future success would be in an important degree, due to the Commissioner's energetic and painstaking labours during his brief term of command there. Lieut.-Colonel Martin, Staff Secretary at International Headquarters, is under farewell orders. The Colonel will be visiting Gibraltar and Malta on behalf of the Foreign Office before entering upon his further appointment, which will be announced in due season.

May God give His special blessing to these appointments.

UNSELFISH WORK

Of the Salvation Army at Quebec is Commented on by Military Officials Who Show Their Practical Appreciation

At the monthly meeting of the Clearing Depot Staff met at Quebec, the staff officers were asked to vote the sum of fifty dollars to the Salvation Army. In a letter accompanying this donation, Staff Quartermaster Sergeant Thos. J. McKeown, Secretary-Treasurer, says that this action was taken as "a slight token of the appreciation by the Warrent Office of the work of the Salvation Army."

The comrades referred to are Captain E. J. Brown, Major J. Brown and Cadet Sergeants Annie Whitehead, Florence Oxley and Alice Barnum.

WALL UNDER THE BLOOD & FIRE FLAG

CZECHO-SLOVAKIA

The Salvation War in South America

Advances Being Made in Spite of Many Difficulties—The Young People's Work the Hope of the Future—Useful Social Work in Progress

SOME interesting information regarding the Army's work in South America was given to a "War Cry" representative by Adjutant Daniel Richards who, with his wife and son, recently arrived in Toronto from Buenos Ayres. The Adjutant,



Adjutant and Mrs. Richards

who is the third son of Commissioner Richards, has spent seven years in South America where he was Accountant at the Territorial Headquarters. He was also Bandmaster of the Staff Band.

Work Has Spread

The Army Flag was unfurled in the Argentine, he informed us, thirty years ago. The work has now spread to Chile, Peru, Uruguay and Paraguay, and two Outposts have been established in Southern Brazil. The lack of Portuguese speaking Officers is the great handicap to the Army's advance in the last named country. The Spanish language is spoken in the other Republics.

During the war period the Army in conjunction with the Patriotic Society, did much good work by housing volunteers passing through Buenos Ayres on their way to England. The British Hospital was also regularly visited by our Officers.

When Maurice de Huesen, head of a British Mission, was in the country, Colonel Palmer, the Territorial Commander, was invited to meet him, and Sir Maurice expressed himself as highly gratified to learn from Sir Reginald Towers (the British

Minister) of the good work the Army is doing.

Regarding the Field work the Adjutant said that many people are getting converted, but that much publicity and furtherance are needed in order to make them into Salvation Soldiers. The hope of the Army lies in its Young People, he stated, and encouraging progress is being made in the Junior War Company Orders, printed in Spanish, are regularly used and the Band of Love, Young People's Legion and Corps Cadet Brigades are increasing. The Life-Saving Scouts and Guards have recently been inaugurated.

Many Fine Institutions

The Social work is well established and many fine institutions are to be found in the principal cities. In Buenos Ayres there are two Men's Industrial Homes, a Women's Hostel and Shelter, a Sailors' Rest and a Hotel for English-speaking men. There are also Men's Institutions in Monte Video, Rosario, Valparaiso, Santiago, Calao and Lima.

Rescue work among the unfortunate women and girls is also carried on in the cities. There are many difficulties to be overcome but some of those help have turned out well.

The League of Mercy is also doing good work, one of its activities being the providing of garments for poor children.

Permission has recently been granted for Officers to visit the prisons and conduct meetings. The Staff Band has frequently been to the great penal establishments at Buenos Ayres, La Plata, and Rosario.

Christlike Labours

During an influenza epidemic in Paraguay the Officers made a great impression on the people through their Christlike labours. In cooperation with the municipal authorities they opened a Hospital and took in as many patients as they possibly could, and many one of those who came under their care succumbed to the epidemic. This opened the people's hearts and high tributes have been paid to the Army by prominent people.

From 1665 to 1667 the Corps and from 1667 to 1672 the Men's and Boys' Social Institutions from 20 to 46; the Women's and Girl's Institutions from 21 to 35. The properties acquired or erected number 272, a hundred per cent. increase. The Young People's attendance has come up 80 per cent., and the number of Soldiers has increased 20 per cent.

Among the new Institutions established are: Young Women's Hostels, Aged Women's Retreats, Maternity Hospitals for married and unmarried women, Workmen's Homes and Aged Men's Retreats. Under his leadership the Army was the first in the field for the spiritual and social uplift of the people. In a short time after the outbreak of the war there were no fewer than thirty-five Humane Institutions operating throughout the cities, clubs, rooms and Military Hostels were in full swing.

JAPAN

ACTING-COMMISSIONER DE GROOTE CAMPAIGNS IN MANCHURIA AND THE NORTH RESULT IN OVER 100 SEEKERS KNEELING AT THE CROSS

Addresses to Students and Working People

During his visit to South Manchuria, Acting-Commissioner de Groot conducted seven meetings at which thirty-two souls knelt at the mercy seat, swore-in seven new Soldiers, gave addresses to a large number of officials of the Fuchow coal-mining, the deepest in the world, and to the railway workers and officials at Chanchow. The Governor-General of Port Arthur was very kind and received with pleasure that he had met the Army's Founder in London many years ago. The Commissioner also had a great number of interviews with officials. Plans were considered for a new Hall in Dairen. There are other proposals on hand in connection with the development and extension of our work in Manchuria.

The Commissioner has also been on a tour in the North. At Sapporo he opened the new Hall in connection with which he had lunch with a number of prominent men of the



Adjutant and Mrs. Climphon

who are now going through Canada on their way to Japan. The Adjutant is appointed Private Secretary to Acting Commissioner de Groot.

city, when several speeches of welcome and congratulation were delivered. One gentleman spoke on behalf of the Governor, who was unable to be present, and all the guests said a great deal about the wonderful progress of the Salvation Army throughout the world, and referred particularly to its work in Japan. The Mayor, a university professor, and a member of Parliament, spoke in the public meeting at night at the close of the souls sought Station.

At Chanto the Commissioner's meeting was held in the Town Hall, and ten seekers came forward; and the public gathering at Hakodate was held in the Municipal Hall, and ten souls surrendered. Morikita is a strong Buddhist centre and but the meeting was a success, 37 new Soldiers were recruited. At meetings at Sendai the theatre was overcrowded, the people stretching right out into the street. Fourteen new Soldiers were recruited. Twenty-eight souls came to God. As soon as he arrived at Niigata the Commissioner went to a normal school and gave an address to eighty students. At the meeting eleven souls knelt.



WHAT'S DOING ROUND THE WORLD

POLAND AND ITS HISTORY

A Glimpse at the Past of a Nation that Has Been Long Oppressed, But Is Now Enjoying Freedom

AT the Inter-Allied Council of Versailles in June, 1918, it was laid down that "the creation of a united and independent Polish State, with free access to the sea, constitutes one of the conditions of a solid

dominion besides the Poles proper and the Baltic Slavs, the Lithuanians, the White Russians and the Ruthenians. The country is one vast plain and thus the name Poles means dwellers

districts were entirely extirpated, everywhere murder and plunder were rampant. In the midst of these misfortunes the unhappy country was attacked by Russia and Sweden. The whole provinces were wrested away. In 1772 the greater part of Poland was partitioned between Prussia, Austria and Russia. Under the leadership of Kosciuszko an insurrection broke out, but though the peasants fought bravely and won many initial successes they were finally beaten by their foes.

The kingdom of Poland was now at an end and was divided by the three powers. The last king, Stanislaus, resigned the crown in 1795. In spite of rebellions the country remained in subjection to foreign powers until the victory of the allies in the world war secured for this people their freedom.

DESTROY RATS

RATS are disease carriers and exterminate them. The damage caused by rats in England is estimated at \$200,000,000. One authority estimates the loss to farmers alone in the country at \$25,000 per day. In the United States, the total damage has been estimated at \$180,000,000 annually.

It should be the endeavour of each householder to remove all the accumulations of debris both without and within his premises and, at the same time, to rat-proof the buildings—the house, the barn, the warehouse and granaries—thereby making it impossible for the rat to obtain food. The foot of the house, him, he may be attacked in the open. Another danger point is the entrance from sewers. Therefore cover all cellar drain pipes by which rats can gain access to the house.

GIVE THEM A CHANCE
SPEAKING at Sheffield recently Premier Lloyd George uttered sentiments which will find an echo in British hearts.

"It is not the British habit," he said, "to nag, harry, insult and trample a bleeding foe. So long as Germany conforms to the conditions we have laid down, we must give her a clear chance to lead a decent, peaceable and honourable existence. This is in the interests not merely of Germany, but of Great Britain and the whole world."

USE HEAT FROM VOLCANOES
OWING to the shortage of coal in Italy the Government has had to adopt the novel device of warming the people's homes by piping heat from volcanoes.

During the war, says Professor Lugli, Director of Italian State Railroads, the people burned the doors and furniture out of their homes and the refuse from the groves for fuel to keep locomotives moving toward the front. It was then that they hit upon the scheme to heat by volcanoes.

A TINY KNIFE
"THE smallest knife in the world has been made by Solomon L. Baxter, a Jeweller of Wellesley, Mass. It is so small that it could pass through the eye of a needle and yet it has a cutting edge and a sharp point. The little knife has two steel blades measuring three thirty-seconds of an inch. Three tiny steel rivets hold the slides and blades in position."

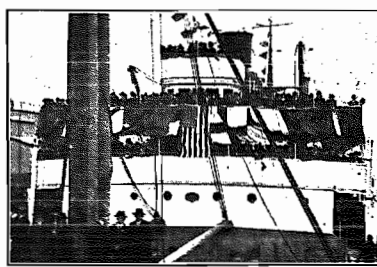


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The first Polish Merchantman in a Century

The S. S. Kosciuszko, the first ship in sail under the Polish Flag in a century, left New York recently with a cargo of supplies for Poland, consigned to the free port of Danzig. The ship is the property of the newly formed Polish-American Navigation Corporation.

and just peace and of the rule of right in Europe."

Shortly afterwards the Polish Government, headed by Ignace Paderewski, was recognized by the Allies and it seems as if that long oppressed nation is at length coming into its rights.

Problem Became Real

Before the world-war Poles were chiefly known here and in some other countries as poor, though thriving immigrants. It was only after the outbreak of the war that the Polish problem became real to other nations and that the nature of the independence and reunion of the partitioned Polish territory was generally made manifest.

Notwithstanding the terrible devastations of war the greatness of Poland's domain and the number of its people remain enormous. They remain today one nation in language and in aspirations, despite a century and a half of political slavery; and through all those years the love of liberty has burned within them as an inextinguishable flame.

A brief glance at the history of Poland will doubtless prove of interest to all who take part in the history of Poland was a large and powerful kingdom, extending with Lithuania, which was incorporated with it, over the basins of the Vistula, Dnieper, and having under its

of the plain or fields. Mieczyslaw I. (1024-1032) was the first king of whom mention is made in history. He became a convert to Christianity and put down idol worship, aided by St. Adalbert, Bishop of Prague. Many other kings, good and bad, succeeded him and they fought wars with Russians and Germans with varying success. The reign of Casimir the Great was a golden period for Poland.

Commerce was active, the towns on the Vistula began to increase in importance, and we first hear of Warsaw, which, however, was not made the capital of the kingdom until the reign of Sigismund III. Lithuania was incorporated into the kingdom in 1569 by the marriage of its Prince, Jagiello, with Queen Jadwiga. The dynasty lasted for nearly three centuries, when the throne became elective.

The nobles, during this period, became very arrogant and corrupt and this had much to do with the troubles which later befell the unfortunate kingdom.

A Disastrous Period

The reign of Sigismund III, was a disastrous one for the country. There were constant military revolts and religious tumults. The kingdom was thrown into the greatest confusion by the disputes of the nobles and all vigorous action was paralyzed. The population in many

THE SILK WORM IN INDIA

THERE are 1,000,000 people in India engaged in the production of silk. Caterpillars and moths of the mulberry silk industry of India are entirely domesticated creatures. The Indians collect the eggs, spin them by caterpillars and allow them to hatch. The females are kept until they lay eggs and when the caterpillars are large enough they are placed in trees, to feed. When a tree is stripped a piece of cloth is hung from a branch and the caterpillars crawl onto it and are moved to another tree. The Salvation Army has several silk farmers and is helping numbers of people by this means.

POINTED QUESTIONS

Are you living as if the circumstances of the moment are the environment of eternity?

Have you considered what you are sacrificing in so doing? Why should you withhold your soul from leaving all to work for God?

See "Useless Sacrifice"—Page Two

SPREAD OF GOSPEL IS PURSUING SOCIAL LIFE

From the Punjab Territory India to the effect that "this is the wedding season," recalls an interesting custom prevailing in that country. There, betrothals are arranged by the parents before the bride and the wedding ceremonies are held at certain periods of the year. The religious feast is a social gathering of the people. The spread of the Gospel is gradually changing things, and quite a number of Salvation Army wedding parties have been recently conducted in the villages. The offering of the principles of Christianity into the social life of the country in this manner has been beneficial in many ways. The custom sanctions much that is opposed to the progress and happiness of the people.

AUSTRALIA

STRIKING ADVANCES MADE DURING THE PAST TEN YEARS UNDER COMMISSIONER HAY

At a gathering of Headquarters Officers at Melbourne, the Commissioner Hay reviewed his Western Australian tour with Commissioner Howard and also his ten years service in Australia. He stated that the spread of the Gospel is gradually changing things, and quite a number of Salvation Army wedding parties have been recently conducted in the villages. The offering of the principles of Christianity into the social life of the country in this manner has been beneficial in many ways. The custom sanctions much that is opposed to the progress and happiness of the people.

During the decade of Commissioner Hay's command some striking advances have been made. The Officers and employees have increased

WELCOME TO CANADA WEST!

COMMISSIONER and Mrs. EADIE

WILL VISIT

Vancouver—Sat.-Mon, Nov. 29-

30, Dec. 1st.

Victoria—Tuesday Dec. 2

Edmonton—Sun.-Mon., Dec. 7-8

Saskatoon—Tuesday, Dec. 9

Winnipeg—Thursday, Dec. 11

Officers' Councils will be held at Regina, Vancouver, and Edmonton

The Chief Secretary, Divisional Commander, and a number of Officers will support the Commissioner at each place

WE ARE Looking For You

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All Officers, Soldiers, and Friends are requested to assist us by looking regularly through the Morning Column, and to notify Major Peacock if able to give information concerning any case, always stating name and number of same.

ROBINSON, WILLIE (400). Fair complexion, 5 ft. 8 in. in height, age 26. Home-timer works on railway. Last heard of at Drumheller, Alberta.

LARSEN, OLAF (378). Member of 38th Battalion, C.E.F. Struck off the strength at Winnipeg, July 4th, 1914. Previous to enlistment was farming near Battleford, Saskatchewan.

MARTIN, CHARLES (424). Disappeared from 103 McMillen Avenue, Winnipeg, September 15th, 1914. Age 24.

EDWARDS, HARRY (118). Last heard of at 810 Ford Street, Victoria, B.C.

YATES, WILLIAM and LIZZIE (398). Were in Middlemore Home of Birmingham, England, some years ago, but are presumed to have come to Canada.

PETERSEN, OLE PETER (322). Dane. Last heard of April, 1914, at B. D. Howe's Camp, Henningsville, B.C.

MACEY, FRANK (370). Last heard of he was working with a Mr. Jones on the G.T.P. construction camp near Saskatoon. Was in 1914, ARTHUR (323). Age 30, height 5 ft. 10 in., slim, grey eyes, fair complexion; birthmark above and on left cheek. Disappeared from Moose Jaw in April last.

PETERSEN, MUNKHAUGEN, alias Al Christ Nilson (323). Norwegian. Was in British Columbia for some time. Stated he intended taking up land in Alberta.

RICE, JAMES NICHOLAS (352). Disappeared from Arthur in July. Was in employ of C.N.R.

ROBINSON, JOSEPH (400). Age 40 years. Medium height, fair complexion. Employed for several years in elevator at Manitoba. Supposed to be in Alberta now.

STANLEY, C. P. (339). Presumed to be in Winnipeg.

CAMPAIGN SONGS

THE CLEANSING STREAM

Tunes—I hear Thy welcome voice,
69; Falcon Street, 6; Song
Book, 374.

Called from above, I rise,
And wash away my sin;
The stream to which my spirit flies
Can make the foulest clean.

It runs divinely clear,
A fountain, deep and wide.
'Twas opened by the soldier's spear
In my Redeemer's side.

My thirsty spirit craves
No lesser joy than this,
To know that Jesus fully saves
And I am fully His.

COMING TO THEE

Tunes—I hear Thy welcome voice,
69; Silchester, 75; Song
Book, 410.

I hear Thy welcome voice
Thou calls me, Lord, to Thee,
For cleansing in Thy precious
Blood

Thou: flowed on Calvary,
Chorus
I am coming, Lord,
Coming now to Thee;
Wash me, cleanse me in Thy Blood
That: flowed on Calvary.

Thou: coming weak and vile,
Thou dost my strength assure;
Thou dost my weakness fully cleanse
Till spotless all and pure.

COMING EVENTS

COLONEL TURNER (Chief Secretary)

Vancouver, Sat.-Mon, Nov. 29-Dec-
ember 1.

Victoria, Tues., Nov. 2.

Edmonton, Sun.-Mon, Dec. 7-8.

Saskatoon, Tues., Nov. 9.

Winnipeg, Thurs., Nov. 11.

Brandon, Sat.-Mon, Dec. 13-15.

(Young People's Councils)

Brigadier T. Coombs—Shaunavon,
Saturday-Sunday, November 29-
30; Monday, December 1; Assin-
boia, Tues.-Wed., 2-3; Saskatoon,
Tues., 9; Assinboia, Sat.-Mon,
13-15; Weyburn, Tues.-Wed., 16-
17.

Brigadier W. Baugh, (Revival Cam-
paign)—Shaunavon, Tuesday-
Mon, Nov. 18-Dec. 1; Assinboia,
Tues.-Mon, Dec. 2-15; Weyburn,
Tues.-Mon, Dec. 16-21.

Major Sims—Lethbridge, Sat.-Sun-
Mon, Nov. 29-30-Dec. 1; Young
People's Councils: Red Ber-
Tues., 2; Wetaskiwin, Wed, Dec.
3; Edmonton, Th or, 4; Camrose,
Fri., 5; Drumheller, Sat.-Sun, 6-
7; Saskatoon, Mon., 8; Prince Al-
bert, Tues., 9; Brandon, Sat.-
Mon., 13-14-15. Young People's
Councils: Neepawa, Tues., 15;
Dauphin, Wed., 17; Portage La
Prairie, Sat.-Sun., 20-21; Fort
William, Sat.-Sun., 27-28.

Staff-Captain Larson—Maple Creek,
Sat.-Sun, Nov. 29-30; Swift Cur-
rent, Mon, Dec. 1; Assinboia,
Sat.-Mon, 6-8; Yorkton, Sat.-
Sun, 13-14; Melville, Mon, 15.

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